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MEMORANDUM

TO: Prequalified Consultants

FROM: David M. Waldner, P.E., Director 
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DATE: July 22, 2008

SUBJECT: "Transportation Air Quality in NEPA Documents"
Documentation Requirements

KYTC and FHWA have jointly developed guidance with the objective of improving the quality and consistency of NEPA analysis and documentation of project level air quality impacts. The new guidance addresses KYTC and FHWA expectations for consideration of eight criteria pollutants, and analysis, as appropriate. A new Guidance and Accountability Form for reflecting the new procedures is also provided for use. The guidance document and the revised GAF can be found under the Guidance and Forms link on the DEA web page (Final NEPA Documentation – Air Quality).

This guidance applies to all projects for which NEPA documents are currently being developed. It is not anticipated that this will require any significant work not already included within existing scopes for these projects. Should this not be the case, such instances will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

If you have any questions concerning these updated procedures, please contact Tom Koos or me at 502-564-7250.

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